UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

DIANA BONACASA, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

No. 1:22-CV-03320 (ER) (OTW)

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STANDARD CHARTERED PLC and STANDARD CHARTERED BANK,

Defendants.

STIPULATION OF DISMISSAL

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED by and between the attorneys for plaintiffs and defendants:

- 1. On March 7, 2023, the Court issued an Opinion & Order in *Bonacasa*, et al. v. Standard Chartered PLC, et al., No. 22-CV-3320 (ER) (OTW) (ECF No. 32) that dismissed claims against Standard Chartered PLC for lack of personal jurisdiction.
- 2. The amended complaint in the above-captioned action, filed on August 31, 2023 (ECF No. 65), raises claims against Standard Chartered PLC that are based on allegations identical to those in the April 22, 2022 *Bonacasa* complaint (ECF No. 1) that the Court found insufficient for personal jurisdiction over Standard Chartered PLC.
- 3. Standard Chartered PLC is therefore dismissed with prejudice from the above-captioned action under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(1) for the same reasons stated in the Court's March 7, 2023 Opinion & Order in *Bonacasa*.
- Plaintiffs reserve all rights to appeal the dismissal of their claims against Standard
 Chartered PLC upon entry of final judgment in the above-captioned action. Standard Chartered

PLC reserves all rights and defenses in connection with any such appeal, including but not limited to personal jurisdiction and venue.

IT IS SO STIPULATED.

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